



COULDN'T HELP IT.

Cleveland, Cockran and Croker Against Income Tax,

But it Went Through Just the Same.

MANY DISGRUNTLED.

Doubt as to Its Fate in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 3.—[Special.] The Democratic party now stands wedded to the income tax. It has taken it for better or worse. That the proposition should have received such a large vote was a surprise to some, but not to those who had looked carefully into the subject. When this Congress convened, the income tax scheme had not been seriously considered. When it first came up for discussion, the representatives from the east were inclined to treat the matter lightly, not believing it could ever have the chance of becoming a law. But the proposition has grown steadily in popularity, as is now shown by the overwhelming number of Democrats who favor it.

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CONVICTS TRY TO ESCAPE.

Two of Them Change Names and Sentence to Get Out.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Feb. 3.—There was consternation among the officials of the Kansas penitentiary today over the almost successful effort to escape of a prisoner under sentence of death. On December 25 the condemned, brought to the penitentiary Marcellus Wright and Walter Norton, under sentence of death, and Charles Roberts, for three years for burglary. The prison officials claim that in regarding the new arrivals, in the preparation of their meals, the sheriff, Roberts and Norton exchanged names and assumed each other's sentence. Accordingly Roberts was put in the death chamber dressed as a life prisoner, while Norton was worked outside under guard. Lately he acted queer and made an effort to escape today.

It also came to the knowledge of the prison officials today through a constable who worked himself into the confidence of Roberts, that there was a conspiracy among the Cowley county trio for Norton to get out on the three-year sentence when he, Roberts, would soon after give his right identity, and if necessary be taken out on a wife at habeas corpus. This young Roberts was brought up and made a concession to the officials, and this plot was made up between them on the train on the way to the penitentiary.

A SUFFERING PEOPLE.

English Authors for Our Welfare—Hope Wilson Bill Will Pass Senate.

LONDON, Feb. 3.—The Standard commenting upon the passage of the Wilson bill says: "None in this country who get most of our news from sources tainted by the advocates of McKinleyism, it is almost startling to find that the majority was nearly double that of the highest previous estimate."

It is possible that the income tax has been incorporated in the tariff bill with a similar purpose, but it is our hope that the measure will pass through the senate and that the people will speedily become reconciled to the income tax as a necessity of the time.

No efficient falcon, therefore, is necessarily affected by the obstructionists in the senate by amalgamation. The pressure resulting from the fact of the suffering of the people ought to overcome any opposition that the senate may attempt to organize.

EXECUTION OF CHRISTIANS

In the Island of Crete Causes Their Friends to Retaliat.

LONDON, Feb. 3.—A dispatch to the Times from Athens says: "The execution of four Christians who were sentenced to death for various crimes in the island of Crete, has incensed the Christians of the island against the governor. Their indignation is increased by the fact that several Mussulmans who were convicted of capital charges, have been reprieved."

Two Mussulmans were found hinging to trees near Sella recently, and it is thought that they were executed by Christians who were enraged at the treatment accorded to their comrades. The lynching of these two men led to wholesale arrests, and the fanaticism of both sects has been aroused. All the foreign consuls in Crete, except the Russian representative, have protested against the execution of the Christians.

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to the city on the upper Hudson, but did all their business in the vicinity on Fourteenth street in New York. Now this flight is transferred to Washington and has its effect on the struggle against the income tax. It also affords an illustration of the fact that at this capital one has to go below the surface and study the undercurrents in order to understand the why and wherefore of legislation defeated or enacted.

DUNSMORE REPLIES.

He Answers Mrs. Lease and Upholds the Populist House.

PLEASANTON, Kan., Feb. 3.—Yesterday afternoon the Herald made public the following letter from J. M. Dunsmore, of legislative renown, in answer to charges made by Mary E. Lease in the last week's issue of the Herald. The letter is as follows:

THURSDAY, Jan. 29, 1894.

Editor Pleasanton Herald:

I have just read what purports to be a letter written by Mrs. Mary E. Lease and published in your issue of last week, in which that lady, after referring to her controversy with Governor Lewelling, mentions the Dunsmore house as having "been organized by the candidates for the United States senate and the chairman of the Democratic central committee."

In view of the fact that Mrs. Lease was one of the earliest friends of the Dunsmore house, from the hour of its organization to the time it adjourned without day, in obedience to the decision of the Republican members of the supreme court and to avoid a civil strife, the opinion expressed in her letter is to say the least, most ingenious, and I am at a loss to understand why the lady should write of that body in the manner she does. I do not know her sources of information, but I do know that neither the governor nor the chairman of any central committee of the Democratic party ever approached me to be heard to be understood or appreciated. To me, the Dunsmore house brings to bear from the center of capital every argument in its favor.

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